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Transmitted herewith is:

- [X] An Amendment in response to the February 11, 2002 Office Action for the above-identified patent application.
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### Dear Examiner Kaushal:

Thank you for talking with me yesterday regarding the above referenced application. Further to our conversation, I am enclosing a proposed amendment to claim 1 incorporating the limitations of dependent claim 4, which you indicated would be allowable.

I would appreciate very much if would provide an Examiner's Interview report indicating that proposed amended claim I is allowable. If you have any questions, please give me a call at your convenience. My telephone number is 212-408-2502.

Respectfully,

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